(b) OSM will furnish a copy of each inspection report regarding inspections conducted pursuant to this subpart to the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries.

#### § 937.843 Federal enforcement.

- (a) Part 843 of this chapter, Federal Enforcement, shall apply when enforcement action is required for violations on surface coal mining and reclamation operations.
- (b) OSM will furnish a copy of each enforcement action document and order to show cause issued pursuant to this subpart to the Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries.

### § 937.845 Civil penalties.

Part 845 of this chapter, *Civil Penalties*, shall apply when civil penalties are assessed for violations on surface mining and reclamation operations.

### § 937.846 Individual civil penalties.

Part 846 of this chapter, *Individual Civil Penalties*, shall apply to the assessment of individual civil penalties under section 518(f) of the Act.

[53 FR 3676, Feb. 8, 1988]

### § 937.955 Certification of blasters.

Part 955 of this chapter, Certification of Blasters in Federal Program States and on Indian Lands, shall apply to the training, examination and certification of blasters for surface coal mining and reclamation operations.

[51 FR 19462, May 29, 1986]

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### § 938.1 Scope.

This part contains all rules applicable only within Pennsylvania that have been adopted under the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977.

[47 FR 33079, July 30, 1982]

# § 938.10 State regulatory program approval.

The Pennsylvania state program as submitted on February 29, 1980, as amended on June 9, 1980, as resubmitted on January 25, 1982, and amended on April 9, 1982, and May 5, 1982, is conditionally approved, effective on July 31, 1982. Beginning on that date, the Department of Environmental Resources shall be deemed the regulatory authority in Pennsylvania for all surface coal mining and reclamation operations and for all exploration operations on non-Federal and non-Indian lands. Only surface coal mining and reclamation operations on non-Federal and non-Indian lands shall be subject to the provisions of the Pennsylvania permanent regulatory program. Copies of the approved program, together with copies of the letter of the Department of Environmental Resources agreeing to the conditions in 30 CFR 938.11 are available at the following locations:

- (a) Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, Market Street State Office Building, 400 Market Street, P.O. Box 2063, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101–2063; Telephone: (717) 787–4686.
- (b) Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Third Floor, suite 3C, Harrisburg Transportation Center, 4th and Market Streets, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101; Telephone: (717) 782–4036.

 $[59~\mathrm{FR}~17930,~\mathrm{Apr.}~15,~1994]$ 

# § 938.11 Conditions of State regulatory program approval.

The approval of the Pennsylvania state program is subject to the Commonwealth revising its program to correct the deficiences listed in this section. The program revisions may be made, as appropriate, to the statutes, the regulations, the program narrative, or the Attorney General's opinion. This

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section indicates, for the general guidance of the Commonwealth, the component of the program to which the Secretary recommends the change be made.

(a)-(h) [Reserved]

(i) Termination of the approval found in §938.10 will be initiated on August 1, 1983, unless Pennsylvania submits to the Secretary by that date, copies of enacted laws, or other program amendments providing for the award of costs and expenses which amendments are no less effective than 30 CFR 840.15 and in accordance with section 525(e) of SMCRA.

[47 FR 33079, July 30, 1982, as amended at 48 FR 13417, Mar. 31, 1983; 48 FR 45391, Oct. 5, 1983; 49 FR 20492, May 15, 1984; 49 FR 27319, July 3, 1984; 51 FR 18321, May 19, 1986]

### §938.12 [Reserved]

# §938.15 Approval of Pennsylvania regulatory program amendments.

The following is a list of the dates amendments were submitted to OSM, the dates when the Director's decision approving all, or portions of these amendments, were published in the FEDERAL REGISTER and the State citations or a brief description of each amendment. The amendments in this table are listed in order of the date of final publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER

| Original amendment<br>submission date | Date of final publi-<br>cation | Citation/description  |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| April 26, 1983, May<br>12, 1983.      | October 5, 1983                | Bureau of Water Quality Management Underground Mine/Coal preparation Plant Permit Application Instructions; Bituminous Underground Mining Operation Permit/Manual; Coal Refuse Disposal Permit Application; Anthracite Coal Refuse Disposal Permit Application; Anthracite Anthracite Bank Removal and Reclamation Permit Application; Anthracite Surface Mine Permit Application; Anthracite Underground Mining Operation Permit Application/Manual; Memorandum of Understanding between the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources and the Pennsylvania Museum and Historical Commission. |
| August 1, 1983                        | January 4, 1984                | 25 PA Code 89.143(2)(iii)(A) through (D), (4), .144(b)(3), .145(a)(4), (b), (d), .146(e), .147(a).  |
| January 17, 1984                      | March 20, 1984                 | Pennsylvania policy statement: Citizen Complaint Procedures, Department of Environmental Resources Inspection and Enforcement Policy for Mining Operations, Civil Penalty Program.  |
| October 31, 1983                      | May 15, 1984, July<br>3, 1984. | 25 PA Code 86.5, .38(b), .112(b), .134(c), .211; 87.1, .112(c)(1), (2), (d), (e), .144, .138, .175; 89.86(a)(1), .161, .162, .163; 90.1, .112(c), (d), (e); addendum to the DER Inspection and Enforcement Policy for Mining Operations.  |
| March 30, 1984                        | November 27, 1984              | 25 PA Code chapter 88, subchapters A through D, F.  |
| March 2, 1984                         | April 4, 1985                  | Blaster training, examination and certification program, as contained in 25 PA Code chapter 210, subchapter A.  |
| April 19, 1985                        | August 15, 1985                | Blaster certification program.  |
| April 18, 1985                        | November 4, 1985               | 25 PA Code chapter 89, subchapter F on subsidence control regulations.  |
| September 5, 1985                     | February 19, 1986              | Act 158 of 1984; 25 PA Code chapter 87, subchapter F; chapter 88, subchapter G; letters from the Pennsylvania Deputy General Counsel and the First Deputy Attorney General to Rebecca W. Hanmer, Director, Office of Water Enforcement Permits, U.S. EPA, dated July 8, 1985, and August 19, 1985, respectively.  |
| November 2, 1984                      | May 19, 1986                   | 25 PA Code 86.37(a)(13), .171(e)(12), .172(d)(2)(iii); 88.1—definitions for "cropland," "historically used for cropland," "prime farmland," and "soil survey", .24(b)(4), .30(a), (1), .31(a)(7), .32, .61, .129, .134(a), (e), .135(c)(1), (f)(2), (h), .136(a), (c), .137(18), (19), .217, .330, .381(b)(2), (c)(6), (8), (9), .491(i)(1), (13), (22), (23), (j), (k), .492(m), .493(8).  |
| September 30, 1985                    | September 8, 1986              | Civil Penalty Program: §§I, II.2, II.4, II.8; Inspection and Enforcement Policy: §§II.B.2.a.(4), (5), E, J.   |
| April 18, 1985                        | June 18, 1987                  | 25 PA Code 89.143(b).   |
| January 22, 1987                      | July 14, 1987                  | § 4.2(F)(II): right-of-entry requirements.  |
| April 14, 1987                        | October 27, 1988               | §§ II.J of the Inspection and Enforcement Policy, II.2 of the Civil Penalty Program, both concern alternative enforcement actions for failure to abate violations.  |
| December 5, 1988                      | July 14, 1989                  | 25 PA Code 86.1, .12; 88.1, .381; 89.5.   |
| August 17, 1988                       | August 18, 1989                | Civil Penalty Program, §II (Assessment), paragraph 4; Program Guidance Manual, §1:3:6 (Civil Penalty Assessments) Part 1—Coal, paragraph 4.   |
| August 21, 1986                       | November 3, 1989               | PA Policy Statement entitled Reclamation in Lieu of Cash Payment for Civil Pen-<br>alties found in Department of Environmental Resources Program Guidance<br>Manual at §1:3:9.  |